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Subj: 1995 COMMAND HISTORY

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Encl: (1) CO Biography and Photograph
(2) 1994 CNO Aviation Safety Award Nomination Package
(3) 1995 Flight Hour Summary
(4) HSL-45 Organization and Structure
(5) CY 1995 Detachments

1. Per reference (a), enclosures (1) through (5) are provided.

a. Command Mission. Helicopter Anti-Submarine Squadron Light FOUR FIVE's primary mission is to provide fully mission capable LAMPS MK III detachments for deployment aboard cruisers, destroyers, and frigates assigned to the U.S. Pacific Fleet. The helicopters assigned to these detachments are an integral part of the ship's weapon systems, extending the ship's anti-surface and anti-submarine warfare capabilities beyond the horizon. Secondary missions include search and rescue, medical evacuation, vertical replenishment, and communications relay.

b. Organizational Structure

- Immediate Senior in Command: Commander, Helicopter Anti-Submarine Light Wing, U.S. Pacific Fleet.
- Commanding Officer: Theodore J. Wasylkiw, CDR, USN
- Executive Officer: Daniel A. Gomrick, CDR, USN

Homeport

Naval Air Station North Island, San Diego, CA

Aircraft Assigned

Type: SH-60B Seahawk

Number: End Strength 11

Tailcode: TZ (Tango Zulu)

2. HSL-45 Chronology for 1995

January

- 4 YN2 Darden awarded NAM.
- 5 YN1 Simpkins awarded NAM.
- 6 NC1(AW/SW) Arndt awarded NCM.
- 10 AT2 Kaelin awarded Junior Sailor of the Month, November 1994.
- 10 AT2 Norton awarded Senior Sailor of the Month, November 1994.
- 15 AMH1(AW) Maninang awarded Shore Sailor of the Year, 1994.
- 16 AE1(AW) Smith awarded Sea Sailor of the Year, 1994.
- 20 AWC(AW) Ghigliotty awarded NAM.
- 25 LT Griffiths awarded NAM.
- 26 Detachment EIGHT embarked USS LAKE CHAMPLAIN (CG 57).
- 30 LT Catherina awarded NAM.

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February

2 AW1 Malmberg awarded NAM.
6 AD1(AW) Castaneda awarded NAM.
13 AMCS(AW) Noland awarded NAM.
17 AK1(SW) Apostol awarded Senior Sailor of the Quarter, Fourth Quarter 1994.
21 AE1(AW) Smith awarded NAM.
22 AMH1(AW) Maninang awarded NAM.

March

8 AD2(AW) Lopez awarded Senior Sailor of the Month, January 1995.
9 PNCM(SW) Stafne awarded NCM.
9 AE1(AW) Bartz awarded NAM.
13 AMSAN Black awarded Junior Sailor of the Month, January 1995.
13 AD2 Taylor awarded NAM.
16 LT Benson awarded NAM.
31 AZ2 Marshall awarded Senior Sailor of the Month, February 1995.

April

6 AZ2 Marshall awarded NAM.
24 AT3 Lockett awarded Junior Sailor of the Month, February 1995.
25 Detachment SEVEN embarked USS DAVID R RAY (DD 971) returned.
26 Detachment NINE embarked USS INGRAHAM (FFG 61) deployed.

May

3 AMSAN Gowen awarded Junior Sailor of the Month, March 1995.
3 AMSAN Gowen awarded Junior Sailor of the Quarter, First Quarter.
11 AD2 Campano awarded Senior Sailor of the Month, March 1995.
11 AD2 Campano awarded Senior Sailor of the Quarter, First Quarter.
22 AD2 Campano awarded NAM.
25 YN3 Schroeder awarded Junior Sailor of the Month, April 1995.
25 AD2 Lopez awarded NAM.
25 LCDR Hanson awarded NCM.
31 YN3 Schroeder awarded NAM.

June

1 AD1 Ducot awarded NAM.
26 AK1 Purvis awarded NAM.
28 AW1(AW) Glassmeyer awarded Senior Sailor of the Month, April 1995.
29 ADCS(AW) Grabowski awarded NCM.

July

11 AMS3 Kuhn awarded NAM.
11 AMS2 Klaahsen awarded NAM.
11 AE2(AW) Brown awarded NAM.
18 AT2 Dionne awarded NAM.
24 AK1 Purvis awarded Senior Sailor of the Month, May 1995.
24 LCDR Guzinski awarded NCM.
26 Detachment EIGHT embarked USS LAKE CHAMPLAIN (CG 57) returned.
26 AW2(AW) Mullins awarded NAM.
27 AW2(AW) Mullins awarded Senior Sailor of the Month, June 1995.
31 Detachment TEN embarked USS HARRY W HILL (DD 986) deployed.

August

8 AK2 Fotinakis awarded NAM.
21 AW2(AW) Farnsworth awarded NAM.
21 LT Grammer awarded NAM.
23 AE1(AW) Richardson awarded NAM.

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- 23 ATAN Anzures awarded Junior Sailor of the Month, June 1995.
- 23 ATAN Anzures awarded Junior Sailor of the Quarter, Second Quarter 1995.
- 25 AT1(AW) Jackson awarded NAM.

September

- 21 LCDR Roberts awarded NCM.
- 29 ABF2(AW) Garcia awarded Senior Sailor of the Month, August 1995.

October

- 13 AT2(AW) Leclair awarded Senior Sailor of the Month, July 1995.
- 14 AW2(AW) Brann awarded NAM.
- 14 ABF1(AW) Almario awarded NAM.
- 18 AK1 Purvis awarded Senior Sailor of the Quarter, Second Quarter 1995.
- 19 LT Artman awarded NAM.
- 19 AW2 Martino awarded NAM.
- 26 AD2 Foley awarded NAM.
- 30 AZ2 MacCarthy awarded NAM.
- 30 Detachment NINE embarked USS INGRAHAM (FFG 61) returned.

November

- 6 AE2(AW) McArthur awarded NAM.

December

- 1 Detachment ONE embarked USS FORD (FFG 54) embarked.
- 4 AE2(AW) Kreimer awarded NAM.
- 6 Change of Command held. CDR Watkins relieved by CDR Wasylkiw.
- 22 ABF2(AW) Garcia awarded Senior Sailor of the Quarter, Fourth Quarter 1995.


D. A. GOMRICK
Acting



HSL-45 WOLFPACK EARNS SAFETY AWARD

For the second consecutive year, Helicopter Anti-Submarine Squadron Light Forty-Five earned the CNO Aviation Safety Award. On 27 May 1994 Commodore John R. Brown, COMHSLWINGPAC, presented HSL-45 with the award. LCDR Clinton D. Lewis, HSL-45's Safety Officer, received the award on behalf of the squadron.

From 1 January 1993 to 30 September 1993, the "WOLFPACK" flew 5524.4 mishap and FOD free flight hours, 42.2 percent of which, were at night. In the demanding small deck environment, they completed 3640 shipboard landings, 46.4 percent of which were at night.

"Safety First" has long been the motto of the WOLFPACK. Every member of the squadron plays a key role in HSL-45's success. From the newest airman to the most senior officer, all have a commitment toward safety.

Specific accomplishments during 1993 include the first quarter COMASWINGPAC Safety Award. The WOLFPACK also submitted 56 meaningful changes to the SH-60B Natops Manual. All aircrew were trained in Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation and exceeded fleet average in all areas of the Annual Natops evaluations.

During the ceremony, Commodore Brown delivered his personal congratulations to CDR Klink and all of HSL-45. Hard work, professionalism, and dedication by all members of the WOLFPACK continue to be its driving factor. The CNO Safety Award is a high honor and HSL-45 is proud to be the 1993 recipient.

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DETACHMENTS IN CY 1995

DET ONE

LCDR F. T. BLANCHARD
LT R. ARIAS
LT D. L. BLACKBURN
LT J. P. GOMINIAC
LT B. A. HOYT

AEC R. D. WAITE
AT1 B. P. MCSORLEY
AE2 B. J. BOHL
AD2 D. R. DREVECKY
AZ2 R. K. KELLER
AMS2 J. L. KLAASEN
AW2 S. K. SARRO
AMH2 D. L. WILLIAMS
AT3 W. R. BAILEY
AW3 E. S. BERARDI
AW3 K. C. BICE
AD3 C. CALCAGNI
AE3 H. T. MORGAN
AMHAN K. S. EDWARDS
AN J. C. MANALO
ADAN J. D. RAMIREZ

DET EIGHT

LCDR S. J. TAPPAN
LT J. K. NELSON
LT T. X. LARSEN
LT D. D. DOHMEYER
LT J. P. OLIVE
LTJG R. W. BORGES, III

AMCS S. L. WORRELL
AD1 B. E. HOLCOMB, JR
AD2 G. E. JOHNSON
AMH2 A. A. LOZADA
AE2 J. B. KREIMER
AE2 R. A. PETRONE
AT2 G. T. HOLDER
AT2 M. E. LECLAIR
AZ2 J. S. PIERSON
AW2 J. A. GAREIS
AW2 E. J. BRANN
AW3 W. F. RAGATZ
AD3 R. C. ROTH
AT3 E. D. LOCKETT
AN H. O. PERRY
AMSAN D. R. GOWEN

DET SEVEN

LCDR A. S. MISKIEWICZ
LT K. A. MCALLISTER
LT M. B. VELASQUEZ
LT L. J. ARTMAN
LT T. J. GILCHRIST

ATC F. T. CARDENAS
AMH1 G. JACKSON
AD1 R. B. WOODWARD
AE2 A. R. WHEELER
AZ2 T. D. GROSS
AD2 T. E. WARE
AT2 B. J. SWITZER
AE2 J. L. SKIVERS
AW2 C. A. MARTINO
AW2 G. G. SCHWARZ
AT3 T. A. SEDATOLE
AMSAN S. A. BLACK
AN B. H. HAYNER

DET NINE

LCDR R. W. WATSON
LT D. A. SHOOK
LT J. M. NOVAK
LT W. D. FINCH
LT W. E. CHASE
LT J. S. DODGE

AMSC W. E. ARMSTRONG
AD1 R. H. DUCOT
AW1 R. D. MALMBERG
AMS1 R. C. TRINIDAD, JR
AW2 A. R. AMES
AE2 K. D. EWING
AZ2 J. T. HALLSTEN
AD2 G. LOPEZ
AT2 S. G. NORTON
AE3 R. A. DAVIS
AT3 R. G. MORAN
AW3 G. W. VORIES
AW3 D. R. BIRON
AMSAN J. B. PIERCE

DET TEN

LCDR E. B. JASION
LT M. W. BAZE
LT R. F. O'CONNELL, JR
LT H. A. BROOKS
LT M. PALMERINO

AMCS M. C. JENNINGS
AT1 J. W. LORD
AW1 J. C. VENARD
AD2 R. F. CAMPANO
AE2 T. R. FERGUSON
AMS3 J. T. HIPOLITO
AE3 B. T. BURLEIGH
AT3 J. W. CHAPMAN
AZ3 S. E. KEATHLEY
AW3 W. T. EMMONS
AMH3 E. B. KOOIKER
ATAN M. S. TURANSKY
ADAN T. DUNBAR
AA N. G. HOWARD
AR C. C. IBARRAOSUNA